

THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

San Diego Police Department

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Homicide Unit

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POLICE INVESTIGATE HOMICIDE IN THE LINDA VISTA COMMUNITY.

On Sunday, January 31, 2016, at 9:58 p.m., the San Diego Police Department received a 911 call of a male down on the sidewalk of 2400 East Jewett Street.

When officers arrived, they located an unconscious male who had been stabbed in his upper torso. Lifesaving measures were performed by responding paramedics, but the male succumbed to his injuries and was pronounced deceased at the scene.

The victim has been identified as 16-year-old Jose Daniel Sotelo of San Diego.

On Monday, February 1, 2016, homicide detectives made an arrest of a male juvenile in this case. The male was booked into Juvenile Hall for murder. The suspect and victim were known acquaintances. In accordance with state law, the juvenile suspects name cannot be released.

Anyone with information related to this incident is encouraged to call the San Diego Police Department Homicide Unit or Crime Stoppers at 888-580-8477.

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